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4 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
5 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**
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7 TERRIS R JONES, SR.,

8 Plaintiff,

9 v.

10 LAS VEGAS VALLEY WATER
11 DISTRICT, *et al.*,

12 Defendants.
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Case No. 2:11-CV-00435-KJD-PAL

ORDER

14 Before the Court is Plaintiff Terris R. Jones's Motion to Strike Answer (#10). Defendants
15 have filed an opposition (#11). Plaintiff is representing himself *pro se*.

16 Plaintiff seeks an order striking Defendants' answer "for lack of them [sic] to admit or deny
17 every element of Plaintiff's claims." Fed. R. Civ. P. 8(b) permits a party to admit or deny the
18 allegations of the Complaint, based on information and belief. Defendants are also entitled to state
19 affirmative defenses. Defendants have adequately answered Plaintiff's complaint.

20 Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Plaintiff's Motion to Strike Answer (#10) is
21 **DENIED**.

22 DATED this 23rd day of January 2012.
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26 Kent J. Dawson
United States District Judge